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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S): Norley et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/888,972

FILED: June 25, 2001

FOR: Graphite-Based Thermal Dissipation Component

Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST-CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: ASST. COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS, WASHINGTON D.C. 20231 ON THIS 22<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF January 2003. BY: Carrie A. McPhersonPETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

It is requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2002 be extended 1 month so that it expires on January 24, 2003.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00. If a further extension is needed, such extension is requested, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit any other amount which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1202.

A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

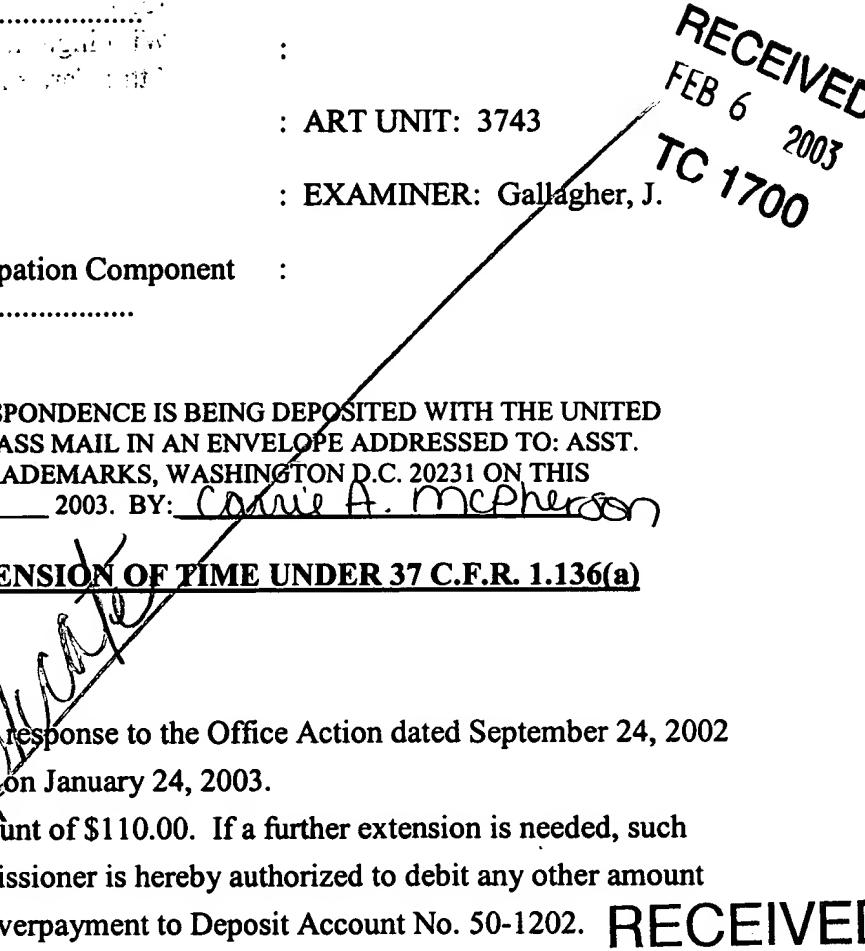
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Respectfully submitted,  
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